"Holiness to the Lord."

We the Most Excellent John F. Houston Esq., Grand High Priest of

THE MOST EXCELLENT, THE GRAND CHAPTER

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# ROYAL ARCH MASONS

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State of Missouri, United States of America,

SEND GREETING:

Whereas, The Most Excellent, the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Massachusetts and the Most Excellent, the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the STATE OF MISSOURI, have agreed to cultivate with each other a more intimate and fraternal Correspondence than has heretofore existed between them; and believing that the ties of BROTHERLY AFFECTION may be strengthened; the PROSPERITY of the Masonic Family promoted; and the UNITY, INTEGRITY AND STRENGTH of the FRATERNITY protected; and its UTILITY and HONOR confirmed by the appointment and reception of REPRESENTATIVES from each of the aforesaid Grand Chapters to the other:

Therefore, be it Known, That WE, reposing special Trust and Confidence in our well-beloved Companion Charles W Moore have thought fit to Constitute and Appoint, and by these presents Do Constitute and Appoint the said Companion,

Representative of the Grand Chapter of Missouri,

near the Grand Chapter of for the purposes aforesaid.

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In Testimony Whereof, We have caused the Seal of the Grand Chapter to be hereunto affixed, and attested by the signature of our R. E. Grand Secretary, at the City of St. Louis, this 10th day of May A. D. 1858 A. L. 5858

By Command, W Ed Hankley

Grand Secretary.